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TEMPERATURE OF LIVE LAVA RECORDED

Scientists Succeed in the Third Attempt Yesterday.

HEAT 1010 CENTIGRADE

Dr. Perret Wires News of Success to the Advertiser.

Yesterday the third attempt to secure a thermometer reading of the temperature of the boiling lava in the pit of Kilauea was made and this time it was successful. The thermometer was lowered by the two scientists at Halemauaua—Dr. Frank A. Perret and Professor Shepherd—and sunk into the very heart of Old Faithful. After allowing the instrument to remain beneath the surface of the boiling lava for a sufficient length of time, it was hoisted safely and the figures read.

The temperature recorded was one thousand and ten degrees centigrade, roughly speaking, eighteen hundred degrees Fahrenheit.

The success attending the test was communicated to The Advertiser yesterday afternoon by Dr. Perret, who sent the following wireless:

"Institute of Technology Station, Kilauea, July 31.
"ADVERTISER, Honolulu:

"First attempt to measure the temperature of the lava in the lake of fire at Old Faithful failed, the thermometer being lost in the lake. In the second attempt the thermometer was crushed, but the third attempt, with the pyrometer, was successful yesterday. The instrument recorded 1010 Centigrade.
"The volcano continues to be very active, the floating island frequently changing its position. Last week the lava rose very rapidly and overflowed from the lake on to the floor of the pit. The lake sank gradually toward the end of the week, going down about twenty feet, the walls of the lake falling in as the surface of the lava lowered.
"Today the lava again began to rise rapidly.
"FRANK A. PERRET."

MRS. WILCOX WILL HOLD DOWN THE LID IN EDUCATION DEPARTMENT FOR A WHILE

For a few days the department of public instruction is to be in the hands of a woman. Mrs. Mary Wilcox, one of the commissioners, will attend to the office daily until the return of Superintendent Willis T. Pope. T. H. Gibson, who is acting superintendent, will leave for the Coast on the Sierra tomorrow for a six weeks' vacation. Mrs. Wilcox has not been appointed acting superintendent but she will nevertheless be the boss.

Her reign will be of short duration, however, as Mr. Pope will return here on the Wilhelmina, which is due on

RICHMOND ROAST EXPURGATED FROM REPORT BY GRAND JURY YESTERDAY

"I wish to thank you, gentlemen of the jury, for following out the court's suggestion in this matter," said Judge Clements at two o'clock yesterday afternoon when he received a revised report from the foreman of the grand jury on the Hilo High School investigation.

When the grand jury met a short time ago after a vacation of several weeks, Judge Clements suggested that the record in the Richmond investigation might be changed, if they thought best, a motion for this being moved by Richmond's attorney a few days previously.

WILL DISCUSS FESTIVE FLY

ENTOMOLOGIST EHRHORN GOES TO COAST TO TALK OVER QUARANTINE.

Superintendent Ehrhorn, of the department of entomology of the bureau of agriculture and forestry, leaves tomorrow on the Sierra for San Francisco where he will confer with the state entomologists with regard to the quarantine recently imposed by California against fruits and vegetables from the Hawaiian Islands, other than bananas and pineapples.

Mr. Ehrhorn expects to go over the entire subject of the quarantine and the reasons therefor and will explain conditions in the Hawaiian Islands. He does not expect to prove to them that their quarantine is wrongfully imposed, as he recognizes that it is not.

He will talk over methods of fighting fruit pests and he hopes on his return to be able to establish on Oahu an outside inspection corps, so that inspectors may be used constantly in the country districts. The whole question hinges on the matter of funds.

Superintendent Ehrhorn states that he has not yet found the fly in the papaya although investigations have been made constantly to ascertain whether the fly is really making a home in this delicious fruit.

He has had no proof that the fly is on Kauai. Investigation made of certain specimens of fruit from the island have disclosed vinegar flies and other pests, but not the Mediterranean fly. The fruit which he had to investigate, however, had been sent in a jar and was immersed in its own juice and he was not able to make a clear investigation. Doctor Wilcox, of the federal experiment station, however, received fruit in good condition and his inspection disclosed vinegar flies.

Mr. Ehrhorn deplors the fact that so much local publicity has been given the Mediterranean fly and the California quarantine against the Islands on its account, stating that it only makes our position worse.

ADVERTISER ASKED TO HANDLE FUND

The Advertiser has been requested to follow up the appeal made by the Bytander on behalf of Miss Dorcas Matthews by receiving for her any money that any may wish to subscribe to assist the young lady in her trouble.

This request, made by a theatrical friend, was accompanied by a dollar, to start the list, which amount is acknowledged, together with a second dollar received later.

The young actress is seriously ill and it will be some time before she is able to return to her work. In the meanwhile she is in need and the worry over her hospital and doctor's bills is thought to be retarding her rally from the effect of the recent operation.

The Advertiser will be glad to act for those who may desire to help and will see that whatever is subscribed reaches her without delay.

Carnegie Man to Go to Berlin



AMBASSADOR J. G. A. LEISHMAN.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—John G. A. Leishman, the present ambassador to Italy, who succeeded Ambassador Straus at Constantinople and served in Turkey from 1906 to 1909, is to be promoted to the ambassadorship at Berlin, in succession to Dr. David Jayne Hill.

Ambassador O'Brien, now at Tokio, is to occupy the post to be vacated at Rome by Leishman.

INDICTMENTS IN OPIUM CASES

SIX STEAMSHIP EMPLOYEES ARE CHARGED WITH DOPE RUNNING.

In a partial report made by the federal grand jury yesterday afternoon sixteen indictments were returned against various persons, the greater number being for alleged violations of the opium law in smuggling or attempting to smuggle, the dope into the Territory.

Nine of the indictments were for alleged opium smuggling, all but three of the defendants being white men engaged in the steamship business, one formerly serving on the Wilhelmina and the others on the Arizonian.

Those indicted.

Those against whom indictments were returned in connection with opium traffic were, C. M. Curtis, Joseph Barker, John Kohler, Felix Ludnek, J. C. Winkler and Thomas Downey, besides Ching Leong Chin, Tak How and Fong Hing.

Curtis pleaded not guilty and his case will be set for trial today; Barker had his case go over for plea until the October term of the court, on motion of Assistant Attorney Hawkins; Kohler (Continued on Page Eight.)

WINDWARD PINE SEASON IS OVER

AHUIMANU PACK RUNS SEVENTY THOUSAND CASES TO DATE.

Seventy thousand cases of canned pineapples is the product of the Libby, McNeill and Libby Company of Honolulu, from their plantation at and near Ahuimanu, windward Oahu, the season having just come to a close.

Had this company put out double that number of cases they would have been disposed of without any difficulty, and in fact, the company has overbooked its output just about seventy thousand cases.

Every case of pineapples produced in Hawaii can find a market today, as the Hawaiian pineapple has a reputation second to none in the world, and is practically, as well as figuratively, on everybody's lips. Four years ago when the pineapple business was just beginning to pass the infancy stage, there was a cry that too many people were going into the pineapple raising business and that it would ruin the industry, keep down prices and that much would be lost. The pioneer canneries had difficulty in getting their output distributed and there was fear of the market being so overstocked that the business would not pay.

Today, with almost every island entering heavily into the pineapple business, with canneries springing up in each pine district, with thousands of acres being added to the cultivated fields, there is not enough production to supply the market, for it is now a world's market.

Orders have been placed with the local producers for shipments to Belgium, Austria and other parts of Europe, the juice being in demand for these products, and even Ceylon has called for the Hawaiian pine, although pineapples are raised and canned in many countries.

The Ahuimanu company expects next year to pack 140,000 to 150,000 cases and by 1915 expects to be in the market with 300,000 or more. Plans have been perfected for so enlarging the plant each year that it will not be "caught" in any rush season.

The twelve canneries are now in full blast and the pineapples of Wahiawa and Waimea are coming in in trainloads. The entire pack of the Islands this season will be unusually large.

Even the cores, which were generally considered as waste, are now kept and prepared for shipment as they are used by mainland manufacturers of candied foods.

COMPERS AND PAIS FACE NEW TRIAL

WASHINGTON, July 31.—President Gompers and Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor, as well as John Mitchell, former head of the United Mine Workers, were today given twenty days in which to answer to the charge of contempt of court.

Dutch Standard Is Condemned



SENATOR BRISTOW OF KANSAS.

LOP OCTOPUS UP IN DECEMBER

NEW YORK, August 1.—The Standard Oil Company, known as the Oil Trust, will be dissolved on December 1 and the stock of the thirty-five subsidiary corporations will be distributed on a pro rata basis between the stockholders of the parent corporation.

DEMOCRATS FAVOR FARMERS' FREE LIST

WASHINGTON, August 1.—The senate will vote today on the adoption of the Farmer's Free List Bill, which will be supported by the full Democratic strength. The Democrats of the senate held two caucuses yesterday and decided to give their unanimous support to the measure.

WIND AND HAIL IN BLEEDING KANSAS.

ABILENE, Kansas, August 1.—Two persons were killed yesterday and a score injured as a result of a terrific storm which struck this city yesterday, destroying a number of buildings. The storm was accompanied by hail, which did material damage to the crops in the neighborhood.

TITLE COMES WEST.

LAKE FOREST, Illinois, July 31.—Meloughlin of California today was the Western singles tennis champion, defeating Bundy, the title-holder.

BRISTOW WOULD LOWER SUGAR TARIFF

Says Dutch Standard Is Not a Benefit to People.

SMOOT UPHOLDS IT

Kansas Says Refiners Have Too Much Protection.

WASHINGTON, August 1.—The hearing of the special congressional committee investigating the Sugar Trust was continued yesterday by a spirited tilt between Senator Bristow of Kansas and Senator Smoot of Utah, the subject of controversy being the Dutch Standard of sugar.

The Kansas senator denounced the standard as something useful only to help the refiner maintain the high price of sugar to the consumer. He stated that it failed to help the people, either the sugar producer or the sugar consumer. He advocated a reduction of the tariff on imported refined sugar.

Senator Smoot, speaking as the representative of the best sugar men of Utah, denied the allegations of Senator Bristow regarding the Dutch Standard, maintaining that it was of material help to the beet growers.

Owens No Californian-Hawaiian.

In the morning, the chairman of the committee, Congressman Hardwick, stated that the report that the Havameyer estate owned any stock of the Californian-Hawaiian corporation was an error.

CANNOT DECIDE BETWEEN THEM

WASHINGTON, August 1.—The special committee investigating the various Alaskan subjects of a controversy has decided that it is powerless to judge between the statements made before it by the two Wickershams, the attorney general and the Delegate from Alaska. The committee will simply report the evidence it has secured to the house and have the whole matter threshed out by the members.

Yesterday the Alaskan Delegate faced the attorney-general before the committee and repeated the charges of corruption, bribery and failure on the part of the authorities to prosecute criminals in Alaska. He admitted, in answer to a question, that he had once agreed to act as attorney for the Guggenheims. His charges are largely based on the alleged "grab" of Alaska by the Guggenheim interests.

MEXICAN TROOPS KILL STRIKERS

ELORO, Mexico, August 1.—Three thousand striking miners and the troops clashed yesterday, the soldiers having to charge the rioters to prevent damage to property. Nine of the strikers were killed and thirty-two seriously injured in the fighting.

LOW WATER BEINGS TROUBLE TO THOUSANDS.

CHARLOTTE, North Carolina, August 1.—One hundred and fifty-two cotton mills throughout the Carolinas were closed down yesterday on account of the protracted drought, which has deprived the mills of power. Seventy thousand hands have been thrown out of employment.

BANK ROBBER IS SHOT AND KILLED.

GREAT FALLS, Montana, August 1.—Three robbers attempted to help up the employees of the Harlem Bank here yesterday. The bank officers resisted and drove two of the robbers off. The other was killed in the bank. A posse is on the trail of the two who escaped.

CRIMINALLY INBRED ESCUED FROM FIRE

HAMILTON, August 1.—The hold-up of the payroll for the criminally inbred were destroyed by the yesterday. The thousand pounds were scattered without loss.

Brother Dutton Took Up Work Among the Lepers Twenty-five Years Ago.

Twenty-five years ago last Saturday Brother J. R. Dutton took up his work among the people of the leper settlement, the occasion of the anniversary being celebrated by a dinner given the successor of Father Damien by the Catholic brothers allied with him in looking after the wards of the Territory.

Brother Dutton came to Hawaii for the sole purpose of being sent over to Kalaupapa, Molokai, to begin his ministry there, and in all that time he has never stepped off the Island of Molokai and seldom has he ever been out of the village of Kalawao, a few miles from Kalaupapa, where he has charge of the Baldwin Home for Boys.

Only once in all the years he has been at the settlement did he ever appear to reflect upon the life burden he had shouldered, and that was one day many years ago when he was sent to slowly climb the mountain side of the towering pit behind the settlement. He sat down and looked far out across the water. After gazing long over the scene and apparently in deep meditation, he slowly came down the mountain, entered the compound of the Home and then his office and immediately commenced his ministrations where he has labored ever since.

The question among the people of the settlement and of those outside has been: What was his thought that day, or in that hour? Was he reflecting upon all that he had left behind him, or was it just a last look back toward the land he loved?



BROTHER DUTTON.

just one glimpse across the great water, before resigning himself entirely to his life task?

During the next war, Brother Dutton served with the United States, and following the war was a member of the corps which revisited the battlefields and the temporary graveyards in Italy, the dead and saved the remains for burial. But he is a strong believer in the Resurrection, and he is now most of his waking hours in